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PLAN CAMPAIGN IN NEW YORK.

President Will Lead All Aid In His Power.

Cabinet Secretaries Will Take Prominent Roles.

He Desires to Make Victory Overwhelming.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The President has not decided to lead the stump in New York, but he will turn the spell-binding forces of his Cabinet into the Empire State for the support of the Republican ticket. This was announced today after a meeting of the cabinet, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee, had talked with the President.

Every confidence of success is felt here, but the desire is to clinch the victory that the defeat of Hearst will be overwhelming.

Secretary Root will speak in New York City on October 22, probably at a great meeting at Carnegie Hall. Secretary Shaw, who has been touring the country in support of various Republican Congressional nominees, will make speeches in New Rochelle October 15, in Onata and Kingston on October 16, in Ithaca on October 17, in Buffalo on October 18, in Buffalo on October 19, and in Buffalo on October 20.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon, speaker of the House of Representatives, will be heard in White Plains on October 17, in Durand's Academy in New York City on October 18, and in Batavia and Niagara Falls on October 19.

HEARST ON DEFENSIVE.

IS NOT SPENDING LARGELY.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—William R. Hearst, candidate for Governor of the Independent League and Democrats, began a week's campaign with four addresses in Manhattan tonight.

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the league is engaging in a political contest for the benefit of the public, and the public ought to contribute. It is directed to all patriotic citizens. Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, today said it had been decided that no candidate shall be in the Democratic ticket who was not a Democrat. He added that he considered that the supporters of Hearst who were in the Independence League were Democrats.

BRYAN PRAISES THE PRESIDENT.

SAYS CHIEF MAGISTRATE HAS ACCOMPLISHED WONDERS.

Heartily Indorses Republican Administration's Attitude Toward Railroads and the Mixing in Politics of Great Common-Carrier Corporations of Country.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

FORT SCOTT (Kan.) Oct. 2.—W. J. Bryan made his first Kansas speech of this campaign here today. He spoke in part as follows:

"I am glad to come to Kansas and I am glad to find a spirit here that we have not always found in politics. In fact, unless I am very much mistaken, we are approaching a time when we can consider public measures with less of partisanship than in former years. I can remember when I first entered politics that there was such a strong feeling in regard to the parties that it was almost impossible for a man belonging to any party to bring anything good in another party. This State has done much to break down the old feeling."

"President Roosevelt has done a good deal to convince the public that there is something good in the Democratic platform. He has the courage to take up some of the reforms the Democrats advocated before his party had advocated them."

"The President has done much good. I don't know what he might have done had he had an environment favorable to reform. He has done remarkable things for a man who had to fight his leaders all the way through. I do not know what he might have accomplished had he not been so handicapped."

On the subject of government ownership of railroads, Bryan said that several years ago the Democrats and Populists were ridiculed for wanting such a thing and that he has been denounced as dangerous because he mentioned it as a means of relief from the oppression of the railroads.

But now we find President Roosevelt setting the example by having the railroads that find in terms more radical than I suggested."

His last two messages to Congress, Bryan said, President Roosevelt said with emphasis that if the railroads did not get out of politics and the government ownership of railroads would be the inevitable end. He had suggested government ownership only about six months ahead of Roosevelt, and he was extremely glad to be ahead of the President in that line of reform.

BRYAN IN PITTSBURGH.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

PITTSBURGH (Kan.) Oct. 2.—William J. Bryan delivered two speeches here today and was greeted by large crowds. He devoted most of his afternoon speech to the character of the candidates on the State Democratic ticket in Kansas, although he discussed the tariff at length.

NEXT HOUSE IS SAFE.

SECRETARY SHAW'S COMMENT.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

CINCINNATI (O.) Oct. 2.—Secretary Leslie M. Shaw, who is staying here, today in reply to a question said:

"No, we are in no danger whatever of losing the national House of Representatives. The Democrats have lost all hope of carrying it. I like Bryan made his New York speech advocating the government ownership of railroads. That has destroyed all their chances of success for years to come, and they will have to look about for new issues and new men."

"Mr. Bryan and Mr. Hearst are all the party has left in the Presidential race, and sources here for I like to see strong men in the opposition. Senator Bailey and John Sharp Williams are the only conspicuous figures in the South, and they are impossible. I don't like to delve into a man's motives in answer to your question, but I suppose Mr. Bryan believes in government ownership of railroads. I like him. He will never see it."

SOVIETISTS APPEAL TO JEWS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The Socialist party last night announced that it would probably elect one of its representatives, Morris Hillquit, to Congress from the Ninth Congress District, which includes the East Side of New York, as the chief cause for this belief is the Russian population. The district embraces a large part of the Russian-Jewish East Side of New York, and the people who have lost relatives in the revolution, and the scores of Socialist orators are making that one of their strongest points in their campaign. The man who will look out for the interests of the Jews.

A house-to-house canvass is being conducted, many women have taken up their cause, and a daily paper in Yiddish will be published the last ten days of the campaign.

Hillquit is a Russian. He was born and educated in Riga, and was admitted to the bar in 1895, six years after he came to this country.

IN THREE RINGS.

SAN DIEGO'S CIRCUS.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 2.—Because of a conflict of dates, San Diego is to have the honor of entertaining all three candidates for Governor on next Saturday night. Conventioneer Gillett will be accompanied by George A. Knight and they will speak in a tent which is to be put up at Fifth and B streets. Theodore Bell is to talk on the public plaza and London will address his friends at Unity Hall.

BEALE DECLINES.

WILL NOT RUN FOR SENATE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 2.—In response to an inquiry, Trustee Beale, who was nominated by the Republicans of the Thirty-second Senatorial district, against F. O. Miller, the Democratic nominee, sent the following telegram: "I do not intend to run."

As the time is past when further nomination can be made the declaration of Mr. Beale leaves the Republican party without a candidate.

APPEALS FROM DECISION.

WANTS PAPERS DESIGNATED.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Corporation Counsel Elliott today filed a notice of appeal to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court from an order granted on Saturday.

HEARST'S MEN "DEM."

BORS MURPHY MAKES RULING.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The Independent League today issued an appeal against funds. It declared that any sum, however small, will be acceptable, as

urday by Judge Greenbaum directing the Board of Election to designate four daily papers which are advertising the election of W. R. Hearst to publish the legal notices of registration and polling places throughout the city.

NOW, FREDERICKS!

CHALLENGE BY SOCIALIST.

A. M. Holston, Socialist candidate for District Attorney of Los Angeles county, has challenged Capt. Frederick, nominee of the Republicans, non-Partisan County Organization, of the Democrats, to a series of joint debates on the issues of the campaign.

In his letter to Capt. Frederick, which he also sent to the newspapers in order that the Socialist might get the benefit of the advertising, Mr. Holston, as his meaning is read between the lines, appears to think the present District Attorney will have some difficulty in standing on the plank of the three organizations that have selected him as their joint candidate—at least without straddling.

Fredericks is given the privilege of naming the chairman of each meeting, and to make the opening or closing speech, as he may elect. Holston awaits an early reply.

WANTS TO BE SENATOR.

PRESIDENT AVOIDS AMBITION.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Reports that the President wants to be Senator from New York to succeed Senator Platt are being revived here. The President, on authority of men intimate with him, not only desires to be Senator after he ends his term, but frankly admits that ambition.

Moreover, he considers the trend of things in New York politics at this time distinctly favorable to his ambition, and so he is looking for a way to being looked to more and more as the leader of New York politics, and is being courted by State Chairman Woodruff and other leaders almost daily.

ANOTHER LEAVES HEARST.

WITHDRAWS HIS CANDIDACY.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

TOLEDO (O.) Oct. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Daniel J. O'Rourke, State Representative, who was selected by the Independents for Congressman, has withdrawn from the race.

O'Rourke did not wish to enter in the first place, and after securing a withdrawal of his friends' objections to his quitting, he made the announcement this afternoon.

WELCOME FOR GILLET.

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY TOUR.

Covina will give the glad hand and the open door to James N. Gillett, Republican candidate for Governor, upon his visit to that city next Thursday.

Gillett will stop in Covina, where his city for only a few minutes, citizens of that place have arranged to send a delegation in automobiles to meet him at Azusa and to escort him through Glendora to Covina, where he will meet the citizens at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Gillett and his party, which will include members of the Republican County Central Committee and candidates for county offices, will start from Los Angeles in automobiles about 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning, or soon thereafter.

A stop will be made at Alhambra at 10 o'clock, at Lancaster at 11 o'clock, at Palmdale at 12 o'clock, and at Santa Clarita at 1:30 o'clock. The party will be met in time for the holding of a mass meeting at the Palmdale Hotel at 2 o'clock.

WAR VETERANS GET TOGETHER.

SOLDIERS WHO FOUGHT SPAIN HOLD THEIR REUNION.

Commander-in-Chief Miller Reports That There is a Great Awakening of Interest in the Organization—Good Financial Showing and Large Membership.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Spanish-American War veterans from practically all parts of the United States are attending upon the third annual encampment of the organization, which began its sessions here today.

Since Saturday noon, organizations of the veterans have been arriving on every train, and by the time the first session of the encampment was called to order, by Commander-in-Chief Charles R. Miller of Ohio, all of the Eastern, Middle, Western and Southern States were represented by big delegations.

Commander-in-Chief Miller reported to the delegates his report for the year. He reviewed his personal work as commander-in-chief, and said he was assured that there was a great awakening of interest in the organization, especially in the South, where many camps are now being formed.

A tentative agreement has been entered into between Commander Miller and Commander Walker of the Legion of Spanish-American War Veterans, providing for a consolidation of the two organizations. It probably will be satisfied at this encampment.

A letter from Commander Miller, which he submitted to the delegates, said that he had about four hundred and fifty members in the South, where there are many camps, and that he was sure that the organization was growing rapidly.

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RUSSIA.

MAY MODIFY VIBORG PLAN.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEMOCRATS OF RUSSIA CONVEENE.

Delegates May Abandon More Radical Features of Manifesto, Such as Refusal to Join When Recruited and Non-Payment of Taxes—Three Terrorists Hanged at Warsaw.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

HELSINKI (Finland) Oct. 2.—The expected struggle between the conservative and radical factions of the Constitutional Democrats in session here, has now begun over the committee's compromise report of the Viborg manifesto, the opponents of the report declaring that any side-tracking of the manifesto would stultify the party in the eyes of the voters.

Those who are opposed to the committee's report will propose as a means of avoiding a rupture within the party an amendment to the draft striking out the paragraph which advocates the application of the principle of passive resistance, particularly in regard to urging recruits not to join the colors and proposing the non-payment of taxes, which suggestions are considered to be impracticable, while retaining the possible endorsement of the action of the members of the outlawed Parliament who signed the Viborg manifesto. The Conservatives, headed by Peter Struve, editor of the Duma; Leo Y. Petraditski, constitutional Democratic leader in the late Parliament; and M. P. Dague, have abandoned their fight for a complete abandonment of the manifesto and have joined in its defense.

The report, which is expected will be adopted.

Prof. Paul Milukoff's proposition that Parliament shall not recognize any future law concluded without its sanction, will also probably be carried.

The proposed Congress will consist of the four heads of the Constitutional Democratic party, due to the belief of many of the delegates that the government would not permit the meeting.

The conservative leaders of the constitutional party are giving way to the radicals, which was manifested at today's session when all the speakers were uncompromising in their attitude.

An important meeting of the executive committee was held today and a strong disposition to abandon the fight for the Viborg address was manifested.

It is realized that this radical move will drive many conservatives out of the party into the arms of the regenerationists. M. Shipov has already aligned himself with the party.

The Viborg address was a speech by a peasant from a Kurk, who declared that the peasant was fully in sympathy with the Viborg address, and would regard its abandonment as a sign of cowardice.

CLAIMS FINANCIAL STRENGTH.

RUSSIA IS NOT BANKRUPT.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 2.—The official Journal of Congress, the official publication of detailed figures of the financial situation of Russia for the purpose of showing that the recent letter of Finance Minister Kokovtsov to Premier Stolypin, which was published in the Journal, was not a mere balance as submitted to the late Parliament. Continuing the Journal declares that if there are new expenses there are also new sources of revenue.

The success of such evening schools is of considerable importance in its life.

"In making this recommendation, we are particularly influenced by the consideration of the small cost at which so great an advantage can be secured. The city already owns a perfectly equipped building, and the school may better be used than permitted to lie idle during the evenings of the year, as at present. The only expense for such training, which is such a great advantage, is the cost of the cost of lights, heating and the salaries of teachers. Several of our teachers are going to give their services free, and all the others whose names appear below have volunteered to accept a merely nominal compensation, because of their desire to see this work established in Los Angeles. We estimate that not more than \$200 per month, or \$2400 per year, will be required to start this school, and to provide instruction of a very superior grade in the courses indicated below.

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PROVIDES FOR
UNIFORM RATE.

Interstate Commerce Commission Hears Carriers.

All Joint Tariffs to Be Filed by Initial Line.

Must Conform to Law and be Easily Understood.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today heard the representatives of the railroads of the country on the subject of the preparation and filing of joint tariffs.

The subject of much importance to the railroads, although it is practically a purely technical and about a hundred of the traffic officials of the important lines of the country attended the hearing.

Previously the commission has demanded that an order specifying the manner in which the tariffs should be filed, and that the schedules of each line shall be printed as an independent document.

It was also decided that the tariffs should be filed in a tariff by themselves, in the compilation of tariffs, and that the order shall be observed, and that the change which must be made by all shippers at destination and which are, therefore, really a part of the cost of transportation, must be included in the tariff of the initial line.

WRITTEN SUGGESTIONS. In these and other propositions regarding the filing of the tariffs the commission invited suggestions in writing from all interested parties. It was appointed a day for an hearing on the subject.

During the early hours of the day a meeting was held at which the representatives of the railroads of the country were present.

The representatives of the carriers submitted the greater part of the proposed tariffs, and especially in regard to the uniformity which they indicated, however, the commission has not yet decided whether or not the rates should be uniform.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS. TREASURY CLAIMS COMMISSION. WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—The President today issued an order continuing the Treasury Claims Commission until 1907.

COURT CONVENES. WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—After a vacation, the Supreme Court today resumed its session.

ARROW. WASHINGTON, Oct. 8.—A bulletin from the Geological Survey today stated that "setting aside as impracticable the questions of trusts and control of land, it can be said that there is a certain concentration of interest in the cement industries, and undoubtedly these interests are more concentrated than in any other industry in the country."

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POSTER PASTOR'S ASSAULTS DEAD. BOSTON, Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The demand for cotton pickers in every portion of the Southwest is unprecedented.

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UNION ROUGH'S
UGLY ATTACK.

Strikes Captain of Steamer at San Pedro.

Rogue Arrested on Charge of Assault to Murder.

Police of Harbor City Fail to Apprehend Rascals.

SAN PEDRO, Oct. 8.—Capt. J. Salinsky, master of the steamer "Prentiss" was the victim last night of a cowardly and vicious assault at the hands of P. Allen, a union sailor.

Capt. Salinsky, in company with the first mate of the steamer "Westport" was seated in the Oxford Café eating dinner, when Allen entered and began abusing the captain and mate, cursing and using vile language, although latterly were present.

Capt. Salinsky, who was accompanied by a heavy beer bottle and struck the captain a wicked blow over the head, denouncing both him and the mate as "scabs."

Capt. Salinsky went outside of the restaurant in search of an officer and stated that he met special officers S. F. Love and W. L. Davenport. These men refused to make the arrest, according to the captain's statement, without a warrant and refused to accompany him to a police office where a warrant could be procured.

These officers were formerly members of the local labor union organization and have expressed strong pro-union sympathies.

THUG ARRESTED. The cowardly sailor Allen was not arrested until this morning, when he was taken into custody by special officer Jack Iman, after having threatened and cursed Nathan Mark, young non-union man, employed on the Southern Pacific wharf.

Allen was taken before City Recorder Smith and charged with assault to commit murder, with bail fixed at \$500. Being unable to furnish the amount the murderous sailor was sent to jail.

POLICE SHIRK DUTY. From recent occurrences it would seem that the local police department is sadly in need of a thorough investigation.

Special officers Charles Walton, W. L. Davenport and S. F. Love are all pronounced sympathizers with Boss Craig and his gang of ruffians.

Many assaults upon non-union men have happened during the last thirty days and these officers have winked their eyes at these assaults, claiming they "didn't" see them. But it has often been noticed that these wonderful sleuths very often have arrested men on the value of the lands with the action of Love and Davenport in refusing to arrest Allen upon the request of Capt. Salinsky shows what can be expected of these henchmen of "Boss" Craig.

It was the intention of Capt. Salinsky to sail tonight with the "Prentiss," but he now intends to remain over until tomorrow night and make complaint against these officers before the Board of Trustees.

BOARD SHOT AT. A few weeks ago the Board summarily dismissed Culppeper, a special officer, for making statements that he would not protect a non-union man, and were heartily praised for promptly doing their duty. It would seem that the offense of Love and Davenport, as stated by Capt. Salinsky, is much graver than that of Culppeper, and it is confidently hoped that the Board will again do its duty and roll the heads of these dilatory officers into the basket.

The sooner every man is protected in San Pedro by the sworn officers of the law, without regard to whether he is or is not a union man, the better it will be for all concerned. The better element is short and aroused and demands that the local police force do its duty and enforce this injunction.

CHARGE OF GRAFT. Another cause for complaint against the local police force is their system

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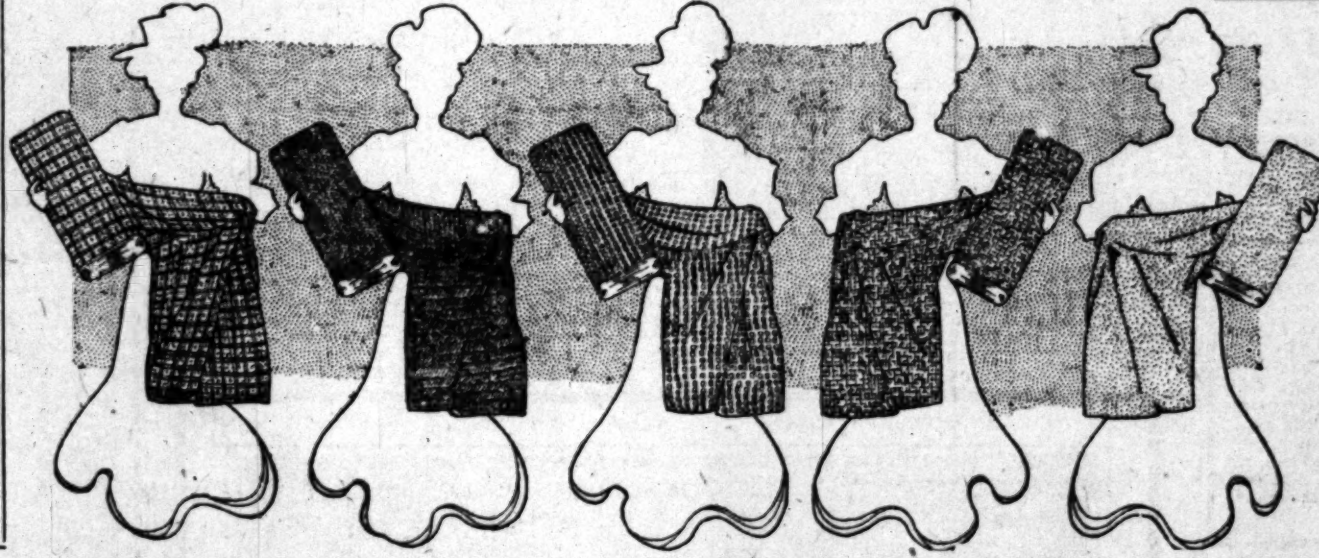
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25 pieces of fleece lined flannelette, 27 inches wide, Pyram pattern, in good colors for kimonos, saques and wraps. 10c grade for 7-12c. Today, third floor.

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FROM 9c MATERIALS AND UP. 45-inch all wool shadow check taffeta. A light weight firm weave, much favored this fall for skirt or Eton suits. Choose from all the new fall shades. A regular \$1.25 grade. Today in aisle 4, yard, 98c.

BROWN SUITING, \$1.43. 20 pieces of the new brown suiting, fancy broadcloths and Panama weaves. Come in shadow checks, stripes and plaid effects. All pure wool and 50 inches wide. They're very scarce now. Today in aisle 4, \$1.43.

9c PANAMA 88c. It's a 50-inch all-wool Panama in white, cream or black; heavy quality; dust proof; much in demand for suits and tailored coats. It's a regular 98c value; for today in aisle 5, at 88c a yard.

9c PONGEE 69c. It's a 24-inch washable pongee silk; plain, natural colors; grades suitable for suits, skirts, waists and evening wraps. An opportunity from aisle 5 today, yard, 69c.

36-inch French taffeta, soft chiffon finish; a deep black, warranted to wear. One of the best black silks, made to retail at \$1.69. On sale today, in aisle 5, yard, \$1.49.

45-in. Black Net 45c Yd. 35c Laces at 19c. Chantilly; a fine quality. Very pretty floral designs, in cream, the very thing for all fancy work and waist trimming. 35c and 38c a yd. Aisle 1, today, 19c.

Embroidered Stocks 10c. Many 10c values; tab effect; pretty colored embroidery patterns on white linen. Different sizes. Aisle 2, Today 10c each.

Basement. 9c CUSPIDORS 25c.—They're the decorated china cuspidors; 50c ones in the basement; 9c today.

TEA TILES 10c.—They are of blue delft china. The smooth, finished kind. TEA POTS 15c.—1-qt. Japanese tea pots with inside strainer. 25c CUPS AND SAUCERS. 1-2-cups and saucers; very thin; cups and saucers; very thin; pair, 12 1/2c.

MADAM POTTS' famous and iron, set of three, with handle and stand. 15 BARS LAUNDRY SOAP 25c. 7 Cakes Crystola 25c. In the basement today.

Corset Covers 19c. Good 25c values, tight or loose fitting; daintily trimmed; second floor, today, 19c.

Drawers at 59c. Made of fine cambric with wide ruffle, trimmings with tucks. Others with fine embroidery trimming; best value; second floor, today, 59c.

Then there are \$1.48 skirts at \$1.19, and other undergarments at remarkably low prices. Broadway values here are surprising dealers as well as customers. Same with aprons; comparison proves.

FIRE CHECKED BY FIGHTERS.

Men of San Fernando Stop Mountain Blaze. Pacoima Canyon Is Saved by Desperate Stand.

Three Hundred Fifty Square Miles Burned. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) SAN FERNANDO, Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Fickle winds today incited the seemingly conquered fire in the San Fernando mountains to another furious outbreak that was subdued only after a hard day's fight by 100 citizens of this town and vicinity.

Pacoima Canyon, rich in underbrush and splendid tree growth, which has not been ravaged by flames for thirty years, was in great jeopardy. A forty-foot firebreak was cut with the rapidity of soldiers throwing up a breastwork. This saved the canyon and brought the fire to a position where no further outbreak is anticipated. At 10 o'clock tonight only a few fitful flames marked the devastated slopes where last night a wild blaze licked bare mile after mile and shot its lurid glare against the smoke-dimmed sky.

A north wind usually prevails in this district, and often blows strongly in the early morning. It was this wind which lashed the smoldering flames into play and drove them down the mountainside. Most of the business men in Fernando responded to an early alarm and made for the mountains. Mechanics turned from their work; carpenters threw down their tools and the spirit was caught by the idlers in the frantic rush to protect the town and its surrounding fruit and grain ranches; and those who did not volunteer to fight were promptly impressed by stalwart rangers.

Scenes on the fire line were a repetition of Saturday and Sunday; men soaked with sweat of body under the intense heat; throats were parched until tongues protruded; singed hair and scorched hands and faces bear evidence of many narrow and thrilling escapes; sounds raced up and down the steep breast of the range, now on one side of the cañon and now on the other; it was an unceasing, exhausting struggle against conditions that an army of 5000 men would have found difficulty in surmounting.

Had the north wind continued its strength no human power could have kept the fire from sweeping hundreds of square miles of country where there has been no devastation in many years. The trade wind from the west in this case has acted with the firefighters in turning the flames back and

checking them, but best of all was the full moon which came at nightfall, indicating that the night time, by the light of the moon and the fire's own glare, would really be the best time to blot out the flame and make a final end of the struggle. Early this morning the fire had died down only to spring up again with the fresh winds of dawn.

Most of the firefighters returned to Fernando tonight, but the head rangers, Crow of the Santa Barbara reserve, Douglas of the Santa Barbara reserve, Ranger White and former Ranger J. H. Hutchings will patrol the fire line until daylight. It is conservatively estimated that 350 square miles of land has been burned over.

Sunday night and today sixty square miles was desolated and ruined by the flames coming down the mountainside into Wilson's Cañon. At the place where they would have crossed the ridge into the Pacoima a desperate stand was made by the heroic firefighters, many of whom risked their lives over and over again to prevent the greatest disaster that could have befallen the Los Angeles watershed—the burning of the Pacific Electric line.

Stretches more than twenty-five miles to lofty Mount Gleason, and leads to a hundred well-wooded side cañons, with ranges covered mile after mile with giant trees.

LESSON BEAST, Which Springs for Man and Pony and Is Jerked Off Its Feet. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) SIOUX CITY (S. D.) Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Nate Gardner, a Fall River county ranchman, while riding near his home today lassoed a big mountain lion, which, when the rope fell over his head, turned and made a savage dash for Gardner and his cow pony. Gardner put spurs to his pony and thereupon executed a wild race for life.

The lion made as good speed as the pony for a quarter of a mile, then was jerked off its feet and dragged over the prairie until it was dead. It was the largest lion ever captured in South Dakota.

DEFENDER OF GUTEAU. George Scoville, Brother-in-Law of the Murderer of Garfield, Dies in Chicago. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) George Scoville, who achieved fame by his defense of his brother-in-law, Charles J. Guiteau, the assassin of President Garfield, died last night. Scoville practiced in Chicago continuously until he was induced by his wife, who recently advocated a system of model tenements for this city, to proceed to Washington and undertake the defense of her brother.

"POSTER PASTOR" ASSAULTS DEAD. BOSTON, Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, the "Poster Pastor," so-called, in a remarkable interview here justified his society in "hounding" Al Adams, the policy king, to death, declaring Adams a deadly enemy to the very poor.

ROME ANSWERS FRANCE.

Pope Says He Is Not a "Foreign Power," as Charged by Clemenceau.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) ROME, Oct. 8.—The Osservatore Romano, the Vatican organ, commenting on the speech recently delivered in France by M. Clemenceau, the Minister of the Interior, on the question of the separation of church and state, says that to call the Pope a "foreign power" when he proposes to protect the interest of the church wherever threatened is mental aberration.

As to the Pope's responsibility for the provocation of the civil war in France, the paper says this cannot be attributed to those who defend ancient and sacred rites, but rather to those who attempt to violate them.

EDUCATOR DIES SUDDENLY. FORT WORTH (Tex.) Oct. 8.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) President (Ex-Officio) of the North Texas State Normal School died yesterday very suddenly of Denton of hemorrhage. He was one of the best-known educators in the State, and his death is universally regretted.

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CLAIMS LAND TITLE MILLIONS IN VALUE.

Mexican Here to Ask Congress for Grant of Fifty Thousand Acres.

Silvio Blanco, by Virtue of Romantic Document of Early Days, Believes Himself Owner of Region From Altadena to Baldwin's Ranch, Inclusive, and Extending to Mt. Lowe and Wilson—No Clouds.

SILVIO BLANCO, of Tia Juana and Ensenada arrived in Los Angeles yesterday with a remarkable official document, purported to be unquestionable title to lands adjacent to Pasadena, and worth millions of dollars. Blanco's mission here is the preparation of a petition to Congress which is likely to command attention and interest at the coming session.

For nearly sixty years the mythical paper on which the claim is based has

Port of Monterey, Alta California, in 1842. The title of grant is inscribed on the officially-stamped and secretly-manufactured paper of the Mexican government. It bears the seal, "Sello Gubernativo," and the great seal of the general commandancy of Alta California. It has been carefully translated as follows:

Manuel Micheltonera, Brigadier-General, Governor, Commanding General and Inspector of the Department of the Sierra Madre, to Don Manuel Garfias, in full and complete power.

Whereas, the First Adjutant and Chief of Detail of the Permanent Fixed Battalion of

ing daughters of Manuel Garfias, Manuel and Claudia Garfias, children of a brother of Mrs. Savin, are also mentioned in the petition. Blanco represents the interests of the descendants of the few descendants of Manuel Garfias, and will visit Washington, accompanied by Attorney Goodrich.

"That this is a splendid case, founded on a perfect title, and that Congress will pass favorably upon the bill to be presented at the next session asking for a settlement. It being a perfect grant, it did not require presentation to the Board of Land Commissioners created by an act of Congress in 1851. It is the most interesting case of the kind that has developed in this State since the Valentine case, about twenty years ago."

NO CLOUDS THERE.

Old residents of the territory to which title is claimed by the Garfias heirs disclaim that their titles to the property which they now hold are in any way clouded by the unearthing of the Sierra grant. They assert that the failure of the heirs to present their claims before the Board of Land Commissioners under the act of Congress of March 3, 1851 (9 Stat. U. S. p. 631) forfeited to the heirs any title to the land. In any event no apprehension whatever is felt that present owners will be in any way affected or become party to the matter.

GETTING IN JAIL AND OUT AGAIN.

DYE WORKS MAN HAS EXCITING TIME DOING IT.

Manager of Berlin Concern Charged With Embezzlement by Arizona Tobacco Company, and Father-in-Law Dashed to Rescue—Towel Urged for Costume for Clerk.

Somebody had to hold the town down by the edges last night while 23 N. Floresheim, manager of the Berlin Dye Works, was getting into jail and getting out again. Great excitement.

It was the tolling of the Arizona sheriff.

In the middle of the afternoon appeared six feet ten inches of Arizona sheriff under a slouch hat desiring the arrest of Floresheim on complaint of Las Dos Naciones Cigar Co. of Nogales. The cigar company alleged embezzlement.

Two or three years ago Floresheim used to be salesman for that company on the road. Disputed accounts. Floresheim was widely excited when Deputy Sheriff Sepulveda of this county called upon him yesterday and told him he was arrested. He said the warrant wasn't any good. His teeth chattered trying to say many things at once.

Sepulveda took him up to the jail where Sheriff Fowler of Santa Cruz county, Arizona, was waiting.

But it happens that Floresheim is the non-in-law of M. S. Kornblum, wealthy president of the dye works. Kornblum's agitation was wild.

The scene shifts.

Jack Wright, deputy county clerk, is taking a bath in a Turkish establishment.

Into his boudoir bursts a madly excited red-faced lawyer.

"Come," he shrieks, "we want a habeas corpus; quick, they are getting ready to take him now."

"How can I tell I get some clothes on," panted the deputy clerk, modestly.

"Put on a towel; put on a towel and come to court," pleaded the lawyer, in a frenzy, gripping the slippery shoulder of the court clerk and trying to hustle him loose.

Wright told him where the writs were, and told him to go to the Court-house, never dreaming he could get in. But at the door waited a big delivery automobile of the Berlin Dye Works.

The lawyer dashed out like mad. On the seat sat the father-in-law. Faith, they turned her loose!

Actually before Wright could get his clothes on, the lawyer came dashing back into his bathroom waving the paper. They had stormed the Court-house.

Before he could demonstrate they helped him throw a few clothes hind-side to or any way to stick, and fairly tossed him into the rear of the delivery wagon.

They took up to Judge Smith's door like a house on fire. Pounding on his door woke the judge and he held a chilly session of court on the front door step. They pleaded and begged until he consented to release the imprisoned dye on \$500 bail.

With the signed writ the delivery cart went tearing back downtown and the jail door swung slowly outward and father-in-law and son-in-law were in each other's arms.

They found Floresheim gloomily playing cards with some of the jailers who were doing their best to console him.

Floresheim and his father-in-law both claim that the arrest is due merely to a dispute about commissions.

When the big Arizona officer comes up to jail this morning to take his prisoner out on the early train, he will find that his bird has flown. Floresheim will come up at 2 o'clock for a hearing on the writ of habeas corpus.

FIRST WHITE MAN HERE?

Manuel Garfias, who procured this grant, it is claimed, was the first white man to settle in the vicinity of Los Angeles, and his family name is interwoven in early local history.

His adobe ranch-house was built by the Indians, whose friendship he readily gained, on the block of land lying north of First street between Main and Spring. Manuel built the first schoolhouse in Los Angeles, and was largely instrumental in establishing means of education for the inhabitants of Los Angeles. He came here in the year 1838. His great San Pascual ranch was disposed of in large sections, and he and his heirs derived but little from the now enormously valuable district. His brother, Mariano, who was the greater part of his life in Mexico, and when he died there in 1888 the fact that he had once had clear title to the Rancho Sierra had been forgotten.

Blanco, who is to figure so conspicuously in the final disposition of this historic Mexican grant, is a half-brother of Mrs. Howard C. Morton, who, as Miss Angela Savin, kept Tia Juana in a state of excitement for months as a result of the dramatic courtship of the young Morton who married her last Saturday. Blanco's mother, Nelly Garfias de Savin, was born in Los Angeles sixty years ago. She with her sister, Mrs. Laura Garfias de Lalmuesne, of this city constitute the direct heirs of the Sierra grant, he

reposed in an old, travel-worn cedar trunk, bound with hand-woven rope. Blanco found it. It is a grant of Gov. Manuel Micheltonera given in 1843. On the strength of it he will ask that a bill be reported confirming his claim to 47,699 acres known as the Sierra Rancho, a tract lying north of Pasadena and extending from Altadena to Baldwin's ranch, inclusive, and reaching back to Mt. Lowe and Wilson's Peak.

The petitioner will not ask that the Sierra Rancho be restored to him, but will ask for 47,699 acres of government land in lieu of it—the land to be selected by himself.

LIKE VALENTINE CASE.

Assemblyman J. A. Goodrich of Pasadena is acting as Blanco's attorney, and states that Congressman McLachlan will present the petition in the House of Representatives. The case is very interesting, and is almost a duplicate of the Valentine case of twenty years ago, which, it is claimed, established the precedent that perfect title to land under a Mexican grant entitles the heirs to a corresponding number of acres of available government land.

Silvio Blanco's grandfather on his mother's side was Manuel Garfias, who was Treasurer of Los Angeles in 1849 and who, under Spanish grant, once owned Rancho Rincon de San Pascual (now Pasadena). Jose Mariano Garfias, brother of Manuel, was Lieutenant-Governor of Lower California under Manuel Micheltonera, Governor of both Upper and Lower California, and was also a general in the Mexican army.

The following translation of a picture-letter, now sealed and time-worn, explains how Mariano Garfias, great-uncle of Silvio Blanco, became owner of Rancho Sierra:

PORT LA PAZ (Lower California) Sept. 10, 1842. Don Manuel Garfias, Los Angeles, Upper California.

My dear brother—By a mere casual letter your letter has reached me, wherein you inform me of your having obtained from the government a concession of land close to that town and most convenient to your actual business. You are bound to attend to the labors of the field, without prejudice to the performance of your military duties, to which you are bound. I will be very grateful, if you will take charge of denouncing tract against me, and representing my own proper person, for which purpose I hereby give you the most full and ample facilities, as you are confident that I have ever aspired to engage myself in works of the field, as it is the most independent living. Speak first to the General on this point, and as I believe you will find in him a good disposition to reward in that way my wish to have him at once, to comply with this commission, for which service I will ever remain, gratefully, Your affectionate chief, brother and servant.

(Signed) JOSEPH MARIANO GARFIAS.

ROMANTIC TREASURE FOUND.

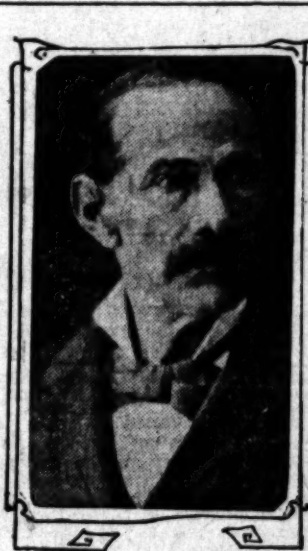
Silvio Blanco is a graduate of the University of Mexico and was for several years auditor for Wells, Fargo & Co., Express Co. of the City of Mexico. During his travels he came across relatives in the town of Dolores. One of these was Francisco Diaz, who was an aunt to President Porfirio Diaz.

Blanco was welcomed as a long-sought heir of Mariano Garfias, and was presented with an ancient parchment that had been left by his great-uncle, Mariano. A spirit of mystery hung about the cedar box, which in itself is a relic. It had not been opened for years. With trembling hands and a feeling of exciting interest, Blanco loosened the bands and forced the lock.

Within were government papers, war relics, gold-beaten insignias and accumulated data which told the life history of this fine old general of the Mexican army. Among the papers was found the grant of Manuel Micheltonera, Governor of the two Californias, to Don Jose Mariano Garfias, of the Rancho Sierra.

HISTORIC DOCUMENT.

This document was issued at the



DON MANUEL GARFIAS, Treasurer of Los Angeles in 1849, who secured for his brother, Gen. Jose Mariano Garfias, the great grant upon which his grandson, Silvio Blanco, bases a petition to Congress for an equivalent in land.

BLAZE AND FLOOD IN BIG BUILDING.

Fine Home of Chamber of Commerce Damaged Many Thousand Dollars by Fire Starting Near the Roof Late Last Night—Offices Soaked.

FIRE of undiscovered origin late last night burned out the rear of the sixth and seventh floors of the Chamber of Commerce building, caused the flooding of almost the entire building, and entailed a damage to the building, office furniture, fittings and other contents that was roughly estimated early this morning at \$65,000. There were many wild estimates of loss up to \$125,000, but \$65,000 is believed to be sufficient to cover all damage.

Nearly one hundred offices on the fifth and sixth floors were damaged by fire and water, or both; the plant of the Thorpe Engraving Company on the sixth and seventh floors, in or near which the fire started, was ruined; the Chamber of Commerce exhibit on the second and third floors suffered greatly from the flood that poured down upon it through the skylights; the composing and the press rooms of the Herald were drenched, and the water made its way down, through the walls and floors of the building to the third floor, although the damage to the office interiors in the Broadway front of the building was extremely light, most of them escaping unharmed.

ALARMS AND CROWDS.

Three alarms were turned in, one quickly following the other, bringing out eleven engines, three hose wagons, the water tower and several trucks. There was considerable delay in the application of water, owing to the remote seat of the blaze, and the flames had gained good headway before the firemen were able to get at it.

An immense crowd was attracted to the rush of the apparatus and by the dull red glow and the heavy smoke that arose from the rear of the building. When the first engine company arrived it was seen that the fire was a difficult one to handle, and a second and a third alarm quickly followed.

HARD TO REACH.

Groping their way through the heavy black smoke of burning pine, the firemen located the center of the fire in

the rooms of the Thorpe Engraving Company, which occupied the entire east exposure of the sixth floor and the attic above.

Hose was lugged up the five flights of stairs from the street, while engines were connected with the two stand-pipes one at either side of the Broadway front. Other lines of hose were sent to the sixth floor on the shoulders of firemen, who mounted from the street level to a window of the sixth floor on an extension ladder that had been raised.

With half a dozen streams pouring in through these lines of pipe, and with other streams carried up in hose that had been swung over low store buildings on Spring street, the deluge began.

So stubborn was the blaze that a veritable Niagara was shot into the building before any effect could be noted on the progress of the blaze.

For over an hour the water was pumped into the building. It soaked through the floors and ceilings, ran down inside the walls and trickled out at the baseboards on each floor.

Down into the court at the center of the building swept the stream from several lines of hose. The skylight at the fourth floor, protecting the exhibit of the Chamber of Commerce just below, was broken in a number of places, and through these holes poured the streams that damaged the big exhibit of fruits, nuts and other products of southern California.

EXHIBIT ROOM FLOODED.

The floor of the exhibit room was several inches deep at one time, and it looked as if the entire display would have to be replaced if it were further to delight the wonder-seeking tourists—all but the big walnut elephant that has stood guard night and day for these many months. It seems still to be good for many years more.

Into the Herald office on the first floor the water rushed in with a gurgle, stopping the operation of the typesetting machines for a time and seriously interfering with the working of the press.

Fire Chief Lipe was unable, after a hasty investigation, to determine the cause of the fire. It is supposed to have started in the attic or seventh floor of the building, in the quarters occupied by the Thorpe Engraving Company. There was a suspicion that crossed wires were responsible, but that fact was not definitely established. No

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CAN'T GET VESSALA, GIDDY OLD GIRLS.

Manager of Berlin Concern Charged With Embezzlement by Arizona Tobacco Company, and Father-in-Law Dashed to Rescue—Towel Urged for Costume for Clerk.

Somebody had to hold the town down by the edges last night while 23 N. Floresheim, manager of the Berlin Dye Works, was getting into jail and getting out again. Great excitement.

It was the tolling of the Arizona sheriff.

In the middle of the afternoon appeared six feet ten inches of Arizona sheriff under a slouch hat desiring the arrest of Floresheim on complaint of Las Dos Naciones Cigar Co. of Nogales. The cigar company alleged embezzlement.

Two or three years ago Floresheim used to be salesman for that company on the road. Disputed accounts. Floresheim was widely excited when Deputy Sheriff Sepulveda of this county called upon him yesterday and told him he was arrested. He said the warrant wasn't any good. His teeth chattered trying to say many things at once.

Sepulveda took him up to the jail where Sheriff Fowler of Santa Cruz county, Arizona, was waiting.

But it happens that Floresheim is the non-in-law of M. S. Kornblum, wealthy president of the dye works. Kornblum's agitation was wild.

The scene shifts.

Jack Wright, deputy county clerk, is taking a bath in a Turkish establishment.

Into his boudoir bursts a madly excited red-faced lawyer.

"Come," he shrieks, "we want a habeas corpus; quick, they are getting ready to take him now."

"How can I tell I get some clothes on," panted the deputy clerk, modestly.

"Put on a towel; put on a towel and come to court," pleaded the lawyer, in a frenzy, gripping the slippery shoulder of the court clerk and trying to hustle him loose.

Wright told him where the writs were, and told him to go to the Court-house, never dreaming he could get in. But at the door waited a big delivery automobile of the Berlin Dye Works.

The lawyer dashed out like mad. On the seat sat the father-in-law. Faith, they turned her loose!

Actually before Wright could get his clothes on, the lawyer came dashing back into his bathroom waving the paper. They had stormed the Court-house.

Before he could demonstrate they helped him throw a few clothes hind-side to or any way to stick, and fairly tossed him into the rear of the delivery wagon.

They took up to Judge Smith's door like a house on fire. Pounding on his door woke the judge and he held a chilly session of court on the front door step. They pleaded and begged until he consented to release the imprisoned dye on \$500 bail.

With the signed writ the delivery cart went tearing back downtown and the jail door swung slowly outward and father-in-law and son-in-law were in each other's arms.

They found Floresheim gloomily playing cards with some of the jailers who were doing their best to console him.

Floresheim and his father-in-law both claim that the arrest is due merely to a dispute about commissions.

When the big Arizona officer comes up to jail this morning to take his prisoner out on the early train, he will find that his bird has flown. Floresheim will come up at 2 o'clock for a hearing on the writ of habeas corpus.

FIRST WHITE MAN HERE?

Manuel Garfias, who procured this grant, it is claimed, was the first white man to settle in the vicinity of Los Angeles, and his family name is interwoven in early local history.

His adobe ranch-house was built by the Indians, whose friendship he readily gained, on the block of land lying north of First street between Main and Spring. Manuel built the first schoolhouse in Los Angeles, and was largely instrumental in establishing means of education for the inhabitants of Los Angeles. He came here in the year 1838. His great San Pascual ranch was disposed of in large sections, and he and his heirs derived but little from the now enormously valuable district. His brother, Mariano, who was the greater part of his life in Mexico, and when he died there in 1888 the fact that he had once had clear title to the Rancho Sierra had been forgotten.

Blanco, who is to figure so conspicuously in the final disposition of this historic Mexican grant, is a half-brother of Mrs. Howard C. Morton, who, as Miss Angela Savin, kept Tia Juana in a state of excitement for months as a result of the dramatic courtship of the young Morton who married her last Saturday. Blanco's mother, Nelly Garfias de Savin, was born in Los Angeles sixty years ago. She with her sister, Mrs. Laura Garfias de Lalmuesne, of this city constitute the direct heirs of the Sierra grant, he

reposed in an old, travel-worn cedar trunk, bound with hand-woven rope. Blanco found it. It is a grant of Gov. Manuel Micheltonera given in 1843. On the strength of it he will ask that a bill be reported confirming his claim to 47,699 acres known as the Sierra Rancho, a tract lying north of Pasadena and extending from Altadena to Baldwin's ranch, inclusive, and reaching back to Mt. Lowe and Wilson's Peak.

The petitioner will not ask that the Sierra Rancho be restored to him, but will ask for 47,699 acres of government land in lieu of it—the land to be selected by himself.

LIKE VALENTINE CASE.

Assemblyman J. A. Goodrich of Pasadena is acting as Blanco's attorney, and states that Congressman McLachlan will present the petition in the House of Representatives. The case is very interesting, and is almost a duplicate of the Valentine case of twenty years ago, which, it is claimed, established the precedent that perfect title to land under a Mexican grant entitles the heirs to a corresponding number of acres of available government land.

Silvio Blanco's grandfather on his mother's side was Manuel Garfias, who was Treasurer of Los Angeles in 1849 and who, under Spanish grant, once owned Rancho Rincon de San Pascual (now Pasadena). Jose Mariano Garfias, brother of Manuel, was Lieutenant-Governor of Lower California under Manuel Micheltonera, Governor of both Upper and Lower California, and was also a general in the Mexican army.

The following translation of a picture-letter, now sealed and time-worn, explains how Mariano Garfias, great-uncle of Silvio Blanco, became owner of Rancho Sierra:

PORT LA PAZ (Lower California) Sept. 10, 1842. Don Manuel Garfias, Los Angeles, Upper California.

My dear brother—By a mere casual letter your letter has reached me, wherein you inform me of your having obtained from the government a concession of land close to that town and most convenient to your actual business. You are bound to attend to the labors of the field, without prejudice to the performance of your military duties, to which you are bound. I will be very grateful, if you will take charge of denouncing tract against me, and representing my own proper person, for which purpose I hereby give you the most full and ample facilities, as you are confident that I have ever aspired to engage myself in works of the field, as it is the most independent living. Speak first to the General on this point, and as I believe you will find in him a good disposition to reward in that way my wish to have him at once, to comply with this commission, for which service I will ever remain, gratefully, Your affectionate chief, brother and servant.

(Signed) JOSEPH MARIANO GARFIAS.

ROMANTIC TREASURE FOUND.

Silvio Blanco is a graduate of the University of Mexico and was for several years auditor for Wells, Fargo & Co., Express Co. of the City of Mexico. During his travels he came across relatives in the town of Dolores. One of these was Francisco Diaz, who was an aunt to President Porfirio Diaz.

Blanco was welcomed as a long-sought heir of Mariano Garfias, and was presented with an ancient parchment that had been left by his great-uncle, Mariano. A spirit of mystery hung about the cedar box, which in itself is a relic. It had not been opened for years. With trembling hands and a feeling of exciting interest, Blanco loosened the bands and forced the lock.

Within were government papers, war relics, gold-beaten insignias and accumulated data which told the life history of this fine old general of the Mexican army. Among the papers was found the grant of Manuel Micheltonera, Governor of the two Californias, to Don Jose Mariano Garfias, of the Rancho Sierra.

HISTORIC DOCUMENT.

This document was issued at the

the Italian band leader, who seemed impervious to feminine charms, is believed to have a secret "attachment."

IF THIS be true, a beautiful girl suicide victim is due to be washed up by the sobbing sea every morning in Long Beach. They say that the Adonis of all the Italian band leaders, Marco Vessala, has lost his hitherto unpunctured heart to a maiden in Los Angeles.

Upon these facts is this dark suspicion fed:

Signor Vessala is cold, toward all the beautiful damsels who woo him primarily in the beach city.

Signor Vessala tears up his mash notes and scorns his bouquets.

Signor Vessala "shakes" the women who lie in wait for

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PART II: EDITORIAL, LOCAL AND BUSINESS SECTION

Democracy

In a certain Russian province men draw wives by lottery. But, for that matter, they do the same thing here.

The King of Greece makes a fad of collecting door handles. And still he is not generally known as a knocker.

The duties of our soldiers in Cuba are really those of policemen, with Gen. Funston in the capacity of head constable.

The Democratic party claims to be over 100 years old. The charge that it is in its dotage seems, therefore, to be well founded.

The term Democrat now has no definite meaning," says Hearst. Wonder who told him to say such a true thing as that?

If the Democratic party gets over what the matter with it now, nobody will ever again dispute its claim that it was not born to die.

The main difference between an automobile race and a balloon race is that one usually ends with a bump and the other with a drop.

If Uncle Sam has no special use for that billion-dollar gold fund he has on hand, some of his nephews will gladly help him to reduce it.

President Roosevelt is finding it necessary to order from the printer a new supply of his declaration that he will not again be a candidate.

The course of study in a Mussulman college usually covers a period of twenty years. No wonder the Mussulman is behind the times.

President Hadley of Yale has defined Socialism to be "the widening of the sphere of government." Yes, widening it till it disappears in this space.

Howells, the American literary dean, says that "certain of our women want and white and whiffy and whiny." Let us now prepare to love Mr. Howells for the enemies he has made.

The States of the Southwest have more new railroads under construction or contract than any other group of States of the Union. Southwestward the star of empire takes its way.

Trouble is reported from a Cuban town, where the men want to hold the office of Mayor. The trouble all over Cuba has been caused by two men wanting to hold one office.

A new English actor named Fuller Millish has arrived in this country. But he will never succeed in altogether supplanting the distinguished American actor, Mr. Fuller Thanaogot.

A white hack driver assaulted a white girl in Colorado Springs last week. He had been a negro in Mobile or Atlanta, he and seventeen of his relations would have been lynched.

A bogus Count has been put in jail in New York. Mr. Hearst ought to bail him out. The yellow editor will have a great deal to say, day after day, about a bogus count, in order to explain his defeat.

The Cuban Liberals are making a mistake in holding secret meetings, for two reasons. One reason is that the secrets are sure to leak out, and the other is that it is better to come right out in the open, anyway.

The Hebrews place the age of this world at 5667 years, while some geologists place it at millions upon millions of years. But if the world is as old as it must, sometimes, feel, we think the geologists have far the best of the argument.

The nomination of Hearst in New York has resulted in keeping within the ranks of the Republican party those Democrats who came over last year and the year before, and will also drive in many thousands of other Democrats who had not yet resolved to make the change.

An eastern man who is a candidate for office was told by his neighbors that they would vote for him, if he could name a single misdeedman he had not committed. The man put in as his defense that he had never been married to Lillian Russell. He will be elected by acclamation.

Every time Joseph Smith and John Alexander Dowrie find it convenient to crush their announce that they have had a "vision" or a "revelation." There are lots of other men who would be mighty glad if they could use the same kind of tactics in their business.

A man is now at work on a telephone invention which will enable the hearer at the other end of the line to not only see the speaker, but the room in which he is located, with all its surroundings. If the invention is successful, it will be a great help to the "detained by business" in town late at night who will now please observe their finish.

The fact that one railroad company, alone, is about to expend \$20,000,000 on the erection of a new depot in Chicago, should be brought to Mr. Bryan's attention without delay. If the railroad continue to add to their assets in this manner the government will go broke buying them out when they become President.

A BEWILDERED DEMOCRACY.

The sad information reaches us from Washington that the manager of the Democratic Congressional Committee has failed to organize a speakers' bureau for the campaign which is rapidly heating up.

The meaning of this failure to get Democratic spellbinders to come out and rally the voters is that the Democratic party is utterly lacking in what is known as esprit de corps.

There is no union between the members of the party in any part of the United States. Esprit de corps is founded upon some common interest for which those entertaining it find it worth while to do battle. In every true case of esprit de corps there is an underlying principle. Now the Democratic managers fail to organize a speakers' bureau because they have no interest in common one with another, because they have no great national principle for which it is worth while striking a blow.

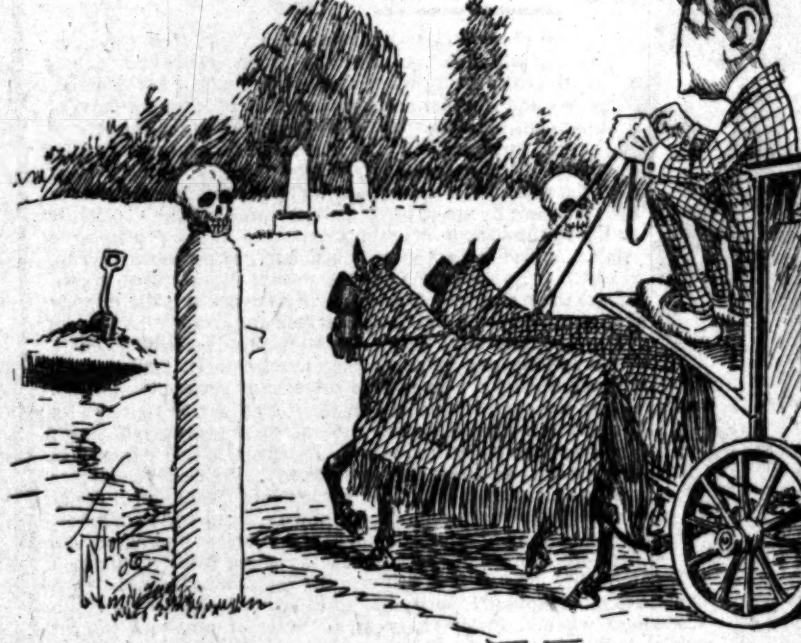
Any party may be divided on local issues. All parties are more or less so divided. But a great national party cannot succeed without a great national issue. The Democracy of today has no national issue, and has had none worthy of the name, one might say, from the period of its birth. The main effort of the party in the past forty years has been to forget today the thing for which it stood yesterday; and tomorrow it is always found running away from that for which it stands today. It never before was so utterly at sea as it is in this campaign.

On great questions which engage the attention not merely of every person in the United States but which concern every living human being, the Democratic partisans are unable to come together and agree among themselves as to which side they will take. Government ownership of public and semi-public utilities is no local issue. It is a thing which is agitating the whole civilized world at the present day, yet in one State the Democratic party stands for it. In another it is against it. In New York they have a candidate running for Governor upon the public ownership platform with one foot, while the other is planted upon a platform declaring against this very principle.

There is no tie that binds Democrats together in one great effort for party success. The leaders are without stimulus to leave their homes and go to the order of the speakers' bureau, to plead the Democratic cause in some other Congressional District. There is nothing to stand for, nothing to plead for, nothing to claim the attention or allegiance of the voters in any district. It is simply a question of how many of them can succeed in obtaining an office for his own particular benefit. He has no time and little inclination to serve the general party interest because the party has no interest.

This lack of common tie and the selfish struggle for individual ends in winning some office naturally throw the party into the hands of corrupt bosses. A great national party with a national policy founded upon some vital issue can never be dominated by boss rule. The national party without a great issue to stand upon and with nothing to justify its existence except the emoluments of office must always prove a prey to the most corrupt type of boss rule known in our politics.

Democracy's first stand in the world on any important question was for human slavery. Its next important stand was for the disruption of the Union of the States. Its third important stand was for free trade by which Europe should do our work and get our pay for it, while we stood idly by with our hands in our pockets and lost the rapidly passing opportunities for national development, for the requirement of material gain, and for the betterment of American citizens in every walk of life. Speaking generally, as a broad rule, all persons are beaten who stand for what is wrong and contend against what is right. The whole purpose and aim of the Democratic party degenerated into a mere and generally hopeless scramble for office. Beaten in campaign after campaign on the free trade issue, we next find them advocating a debased currency on which to found our material industries and make industrial headway against the competition of the outside world whose industries were founded upon a dollar each one of which would be worth twice as much as ours. The false philosophy of this theory it would seem must have been evident to a child. For a one-legged man to run a foot-race with a man who had two good legs is a parallel absurdity. And so, step by step, at every inch of progress in American history down to the Spanish war, to the control of Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippine



Islands, the attitude of the Democratic party has been wrong-headed and wrong-headed obstruction.

The vital issue before the world today is this—the maintenance of our system of industrial civilization, built up through thousands of years of strenuous effort on the part of the best men of all nations, races and times, founded upon laws slowly worked out by actual experience, and resting in the main upon principles of justice and equality and giving to every man the same chance as the other man and safeguarding to the winner the fruits of his labor. The question is whether we shall replace this growth of the ages with a system of socialism or semi-socialism which has been tried time and time again by mankind and always discarded because of the evil results growing out of it. Here, true to its past history and true to its instincts, we find the Democratic party, wrong once more, standing as a general rule for the unjust demands of union labor, which recognize no right save that of might, for the crude and undigested theories of ignorant socialist leaders who come to us from countries where human rights are trodden under foot by tyrannical governments, and for the unsubstantial, dreamy theories of top-heavy philosophers whose ideas are founded upon imaginary circumstances.

INMISCIBLE.

As was to have been expected, the only response of the power corporation organ—subsidized—to the suggestion that it make a specific statement concerning the source of the mysterious supply of water which it alleges is available to the city close at hand, is a reiteration of the stupid, preposterous falsehood that the city can obtain only 5000 inches of water from Owens Valley. What the organ says about "prior appropriations" of surplus flow is simply imbecile.

CUBA'S FUTURE.

There is no important change in the Cuban situation. Reports received by the provisional government from different sections indicate that the pacification of Cuba will soon be completed. There is trouble, however, in some of the provinces, due to the terms and the process of disarmament, or to other minor causes. Some of the two-warm-blooded Cubans have furnished a few machetes, and there may be some bloodshed before the work of reconstruction shall have been finished. But there is no doubt, of course, as to the outcome, for the Americans already on the ground, and others who will be sent if necessary, will preserve the peace at any cost.

More important than the question of peace preservation in Cuba at the present moment is the question of the maintenance of a stable government in the future, after the American forces shall have been withdrawn. As a matter of course, we shall not evacuate Cuba until after the restoration of peace and tranquillity throughout the island. But after this has been accomplished—what? Perhaps it is a little early to ask the question, but it must be answered sooner or later.

It is practically certain that the Cubans will be given another "try" at self-government. If the future may be predicted with any certainty from the past, there is no very broad ground for hope that the second attempt at independent government will be any more successful than the first. It is much to be feared that these pugnacious and choleric islanders will be at each others' throats within a short time after the American troops have sailed away. Perhaps not. By all means it is to be hoped that they will profit by the unpleasant experience through which they are now passing.

The American government has made itself responsible for the preservation of stable government in Cuba, and its pledges will be kept.

GILLET'S COMING.

Mr. James N. Gillett, the Republican candidate for Governor of California, will arrive in Southern California on Thursday next, and will open his campaign in Pomona and Riverside, remaining in this part of the State a week or ten days. He will address the voters of Los Angeles October 16. There is no need to bespeak for him a cordial reception in this happy, free

Independent and prosperous community. He has been here before. Our people know him, and respect him. They will receive him with open-armed hospitality, and he will speedily be made to feel at home "in our midst."

Mr. Gillett's campaign is proving highly successful. He is making friends wherever he goes. His speeches are largely confined to important issues. He disdains the petty quibbling of personal politics, and keeps his campaign upon the high plane of facts and arguments which appeal to the intellect rather than to passions and prejudices. He has shown how much better it is to conduct a political campaign upon broad lines than to fill it with invective and vindictiveness.

Mr. Gillett is not the candidate of any particular class, cabal or section of California. In the best sense he is the candidate of the people. He is a strong candidate because of his clean character and his high qualities of manhood, which are recognized alike by friend and foe.

Los Angeles and all of Southern California will welcome with unforgotten cordiality the next Governor of the State, James N. Gillett.

HEARST GOES BEGGING.

A dispatch from New York says that the "Independence League" has issued an appeal asking for funds. The appeal declares that any sum, however small, will be acceptable, as the league "is engaged in a political contest for the benefit of the public, and the public ought to contribute." The appeal is made specifically "to all patriotic citizens."

This bit of news is refreshing, not to say exhilarating. Inasmuch as the "Independence League" is an organization conducted by Hearst, and in the sole interest of Hearst, it is difficult to understand why "the public ought to contribute." Where does the public get on or off? What does Hearst or his organization propose to do for the benefit of the public?

It is at least rather cheeky for Hearst to ask the public to help support his personal political clubs. Democrats have repudiated them. Republicans have no use for them, and it is extremely doubtful if prohibitionists will contribute to their support. It is, perhaps, true that the public "likes to be humbugged." But the line must be drawn somewhere, and perhaps there's no better place to draw it than at the Independence League.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

John F. Wilson, one of the substantial citizens of Hustonville, Ky., drops into a hypnotic state every time he feels the touch of steel to his person.

In South Australia one of the labor leaders, Thomas Price, is Premier of the State government. He was formerly a stone mason and worked by the day.

Both Charles E. Hughes and M. Linn Bruce, the respective nominees for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor of New York, are the sons of clergymen.

Leut.-Gov. Bruce was born in Mercersburg, Pa., the son of a United Presbyterian minister. Mr. Hughes' father was a Baptist minister.

Bloodgood H. Cutler, of Prospect Hill, Ill., who has been immortalized by Mark Twain as the "Poet Laureate" in the latter's "Innocents Abroad," died last week at the age of 90. He was a writer of all his life under the signature of "The Farmer Poet," and his greatest hobby was the collection of trophies pertaining to the colonial period of American history.

An English critic having said that Henry James "grotes his way through German language like a blind man tapping with a stick," the London Globe rejoins that he might do worse, that his methods at least are "better than those of some other novelists who dance through the language as if they were doing a cakewalk."

Mrs. Roosevelt announces that her daughter Ethel will not make her debut until she is 20, while Mrs. George J. Gould says that her daughter, Marguerite, now 18, must wait a year, and Miss Gladys Vanderbilt and Miss Dorothy Whitney, both carefully brought up heiresses, waited until their nineteenth year before they entered society.

Senator Pettus of Alabama, who recently passed his eighty-fifth birthday, is reported to have offered this explanation of his vitality: "I never chew less than a pound of tobacco per day. I swear only when it is absolutely necessary; drink nothing stronger than whiskey; and for years have made it a practice to go to bed only when I

THE LOST YESTERDAY

I have lost a Yesterday—
Miser of my memories
I had hidden it away
Where no thief might come to seize.
All my Yesterdays I hid
As a miser hides his gold;
As a miser thus I did—
Now 'tis fallen from my hold.

I haste back along the way
Through the laughter and the tears,
Seeking for my Yesterday
In the dust of other years.

Was it sunny? Was it gray?
Was it gloomy? Was it glad?
Ah, it was a Yesterday—
But a Yesterday I had.

I have held them in my clutche
All the days that used to be
I have loved them evermuch,
They were all in all to me.

Yesterdays—I knew each one
By its twilight or its dawn,
By tasks finished or begun—
Yet a Yesterday is gone.

Had it silence? Had it song?
Had it laughter? Had it grief?
Was it brief, or was it long?
Bursting bud, or withered leaf?

Ho, I know not; nay, nor care—
Joys and sorrows long were blent
Into recollections fair
Of the days that came and went.

So I count them, and I miss
One of all my Yesterdays
And I turn that way and this
Through the year's unending maze.

And you say I need not sigh?
Is it some small thing, I pray,
Out of the glad days gone by
To have lost a Yesterday?

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In other words, there is an expressed determination on the part of men who expect to go to the convention November 1 that they, and not Walter Parker and the interests that control him, will make such nominations as they see fit. It was admitted yesterday by many Republicans that Dr. Lindley will be a strong candidate before the convention. Just how strong he may be depends on his ability to secure delegates who will be favorable to him. In a large number, if not all, of the precincts the delegates have been decided upon by the Republican organization. Their election at the primaries will be simply a matter of form.

It has been asserted by some Republicans that no candidate who "dined" with the city non-partisans could hope to secure a Republican nomination, yet other prominent members of the party declared yesterday that City Clerk Harry Leland, selected by the Non-Partisan City Central Committee to succeed himself, should remain as the non-partisan candidate and still seek his party's nomination. Mr. Leland

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There are signs that William H. Win, formerly committee chairman of the City Central Committee, will be the Republican candidate for the Fourth Ward. Goodwin has been circulated a petition that bears about 500 names, asking that he be elected. Goodwin, who declares he is in the hands of his friends, Martin Noite, W. H. Noite and W. H. Armstrong are also candidates for the nomination.

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Women's Fall Oxfords

There's much of interest always in what the season's new styles will be—and the center of interest is always Staub's. This is the time of year when the new Fall Oxfords are most wanted—and we are showing a broad and beautiful line. One of the new, attractive styles for women, is made of gun metal calf, has well soles, fastens with straps and buckles, \$3.00. A splendid little oxford for Fall and winter wear. We'll be glad to show you our many other styles any time. We fill mail orders from all parts of Southern California, Arizona and Nevada. Send us a request for self-measurement blanks.

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Rubidoux Chocolates

Specify Bishop's Rubidoux when you ask for a Box of Chocolates. They'll please where the ordinary kind won't. Rich, pure, delicious, California fruit flavors. Fancy Boxes 30c to \$2

Off Broadway Drug Co. 322 SOUTH SPRING—COR. FOURTH

through the medium of a pretty broad farce, this is not thought praise. Satisfactory, though not brilliant, work is also done by Miss Dorset as Clementine Fitzhugh, Guy Himer as Roderick Majors, E. V. Dainton as Von Bismarck Schmidt, and Arthur Mackley as Timothy Cook, a Tammany sheriff. Some of the Hotchkiss players should learn to walk and talk with the ease of the stage. The patrons of the house rose to its feet in applause when the Jew shot up the first bar, and never lost enthusiasm during all the ensuing scenes. The patrons of the house rose to its feet in applause when the Jew shot up the first bar, and never lost enthusiasm during all the ensuing scenes.

Robinson Company Boston Dry Goods Store 235-237-239 SOUTH BROADWAY

On Thursday a sale of Housekeeping Linens. Particulars Tomorrow.

Today's Most Important Sales

Particulars of which Appeared in Sunday Papers

French, hand-embroidered collar and cuff sets, worth \$2.50 to \$10.00, at \$1.25

85c to \$2.00 Embroideries—2 to 4-inch insertions and 8 to 20-inch edges—at the yard 50 Cents



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With price cuts like these it will cost you surprisingly little to fix up a luxurious cosy corner:

50-inch Italian Velours—heavy, luxurious fabrics in three beautiful color combinations—for \$1.10

30-inch, cross stripe, Oriental silk, Sultana cloth, in 15 or 20 color combinations—for over draperies 75c

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Short lots of drapery fabrics—fine tapestries, damasks and solid color silks included—at just half regular prices. Mostly in two to six-yard lengths.

Petticoat Fabrics

"Heatherbloom" is such a crisp, lightweight stuff that it comes pretty close to a silk effect.

Cunningly finished with a silky luster, as these are, it is not the easiest matter in the world to tell them from silk.

For everyday petticoats they are admirable. Black and all autumn shades—thirty-five cents a yd.

(Lining Department, under Annex Skylight)

Reduce your Gas bill

Install a "CLASSIC" Gas Range in your kitchen—and watch the gas bill go down. The "CLASSIC" burns less gas than any other Range on the market. Come in and let us tell you about it.

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We describe four typical values, we have dozens of others, and an important feature is that hardly any two suits are alike, an obvious point in their favor among discriminating women.

Plaid suit of gray, with a touch of green and rose, collar and cuffs inlaid with rose panne velvet, half fitted box coat, \$25

Prince Chap tailored suit in red and black shadow plaid material, \$35

new pleated skirt

Brown cheviot suit, short half fitted coat, silk braid trimmed on collar and cuffs, pleated skirt \$25

Navy blue broadcloth suit, fitted short jacket, braided in black, velvet collar, braided gored skirt \$35

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Underpriced combination corset covers and short skirts today, they are gaining in favor among particular women, who dislike the fullness about the waist that's unavoidable with separate corset covers and skirts

\$2 and \$2.50 values at \$1.75: Lace or embroidery trimmed.

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\$2.75 to \$3.00 values at \$2.50: Lace trimmed skirts.

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\$4.00 values at \$3.50: All lace and embroidery fronts.

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The express has just brought us a welcome shipment of imported Swiss silk plaids that we can sell for 75c a yard. Ask to see them.

\$1.25 black taffeta today \$1 a yard.

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These baskets are all the rage just now in New York. We are showing a splendid line in beautiful colored iridescent and cut glass effects. Handsome decorative pieces that set off to advantage the most elaborate dining table, or can be used for cut flowers.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

SPIRIT MESSAGE TO KILL DOCTOR?

PASADENA BICYCLE MERCHANT MAKES STRANGE CLAIM.

Physician, Menaced by Alleged Command From Dead Child, Visits the Father, Who Admits Having Received the Purported Communication.

Office of the Times, No. 28 S. Raymond Ave., Pasadena, Oct. 2.—W. A. Loudenclose, of No. 105 North Raymond avenue, claims to have received a message from the dead directing him to kill Dr. F. F. Rowland. About two years ago Dr. Rowland was called upon to attend Loudenclose's child when it was suffering from an attack of diphtheria. The child was in a very serious condition and, as a last resort, the doctor administered antitoxin. The child died despite all that could be done for it.

Later Mrs. Loudenclose stated that she had had a message from the dead child. She claimed that the child had said that Loudenclose must hurry up Dr. Rowland and kill him. Later the mother died but just before her death she is alleged to have told Loudenclose that she hoped for salvation, he must kill the doctor.

Word of the strange happening came to Dr. Rowland's knowledge and this morning he telephoned to see what he had to say about it. Loudenclose admitted that he had received such a message but declined to carry it out. He apparently considered that he was bound by the orders from the dead, but as he has as yet made no attempt upon the doctor's life, he must have some doubts concerning the matter.

Loudenclose conducts a bicycle store and lives by himself in the rear of the establishment. It is supposed that brooding over the death of his wife and child have preyed upon his mind to such an extent that he has become deranged. In other ways he seems perfectly rational and Dr. Rowland has not worried greatly over the matter, although he has been annoyed by it.

WANT CHEMICAL ENGINE. That the residents of North Pasadena are determined to have fire protection was made plain this morning when a representative of the North Pasadena Improvement Association appeared before the city commission and asked for a chemical engine be provided for the neighborhood. The efforts of the North Pasadena to secure an engine have so far met with scant success owing to the fact that there is no money available. They feel, however, that even a chemical engine would be a help.

Carl Rundy stated that he was ready to furnish a lot for the temporary use of the department and William Stiller, a chemist, has offered to loan a chemical engine and team. The representative of the North Pasadena carefully canvassed and that the feeling that some fire protection must be provided at once was unanimous.

The head of Special Police Workman was received and approved. Workman was appointed a special officer to serve without pay on the recommendation of Chief of Police Pinkham.

H. H. Favour was appointed a regular patrolman on the recommendation of the Chief of Police. The police department is being run very short-handed and the chairman of the board of police will relieve the members to a considerable extent.

Department demands to the amount of \$700.00 were submitted as follows: Fire, \$353.36; police, \$23.33; park, \$21.00.

COWS CHOPPED WITH AX. Dr. Medici de Biron this morning reported a flagrant case of cruelty to animals on his ranch near San Pedro. He said that he had been called to the scene of breaking down their fences and ravaging the neighborhood. There have been many reports, and Anderson, tried to keep the animals locked up, but without avail. Last week they again got loose, and when they were found in the morning it was found that two of them had been attacked with an ax, and were in a serious condition. One of them was badly chopped up and it died later. Dr. de Biron was called upon to attend the other, and succeeded in saving it, in spite of the fact that it was a mass of wounds.

The case attracted much indignation, and Dr. Biron determined to get at the bottom of it. He turned to the police and moved over to the San Pedro officers and did a little detective work. Although no arrests were made, Dr. Biron states he has a pretty good case against a rancher in the neighborhood and that he will probably place him under arrest tomorrow.

ALL RECORDS BROKEN. City taxes fell due today, and Tax Collector Munson and his assistants had a busy day taking in the money. All records for payments were broken, and before 9 o'clock in the morning more than \$100,000 had been collected. Last year the entire receipts for the first day amounted to less than \$50,000, and the Tax Collector regards today's business as a record.

In spite of the big increase in taxes over last year, the taxpayers were on hand with their money, and had few complaints to make. If the present rush continues the collections will be expedited, and the work will be speedily completed. The heavy demand being made upon the city treasury makes it imperative that the money be paid in as rapidly as possible, and it is the hope of the Tax Collector that the rush will keep up for several days to come.

WOMAN'S CLOTHES ABLAZE. Mrs. Grace Pullen of No. 230 Dayton street was severely burned by an explosion of gasoline this morning. She was looking with a gasoline stove and had occasion to go out into the yard. While she was gone a gust of wind blew out the flame in the stove. The gasoline continued to flow, and within a short time had flooded the pan under the burners. When Mrs. Pullen returned the house she started to light the stove, and an explosion was the result.

The burning oil was thrown over Mrs. Pullen, and she was severely burned. Her screams attracted the attention of neighbors, who rushed in and extinguished the flames. A physician was at once called to attend the injured woman, and it is not thought that she will suffer any permanent disfigurement.

The blaze was communicated to the woodwork of the house, and an alarm of fire was turned in. The flames were extinguished before any damage had been done.

NEARLY LOSTS FINGER. J. J. Walters met with a peculiar accident today. He was working on a piece of machinery and his finger was caught in a moving part. He was severely injured and it is feared that the finger will be lost.

MEN OF AVALON DENOUNCE MOVE.

BANNING COMPANY'S PROPOSED HARBOR BULKHEAD SCORED.

Property Owners Favor Incorporation of Town and Making the Port Free—Paper of Protest Being Signed by Citizens and Another Meeting Will Be Held.

AVALON, Oct. 2.—A meeting of the property owners of Avalon was held Saturday evening at the Glendon Hotel, when the question of incorporating the town was discussed. While no vote was taken, the trend of sentiment was toward incorporation, and for an open port. Those advocating the latter move said that they desired a settlement of the port question, which has been a disquieting one for years.

It was decided to call another meeting soon, to which the Banning company will be invited, for an expression of their views, and also to answer questions in reference to methods of procedure relative to the ownership of the sewer and water systems.

MOVIE IS DENOUNCED. In regard to one matter which came up at the meeting, there was no uncertainty. The Times of Saturday contained an advertisement of an application of the Banning company for permission from the United States government to build a bulkhead in Avalon Bay, 130 feet distant from Crescent avenue. The intervening space to be filled in with rock. This proposal was jumped upon by nearly every man present taking occasion to land on it with both feet, and it was decided to prepare a signed protest against the granting of the application. The protest paper is now being circulated.

The contention of the signers of the protest is that the bulkhead would destroy the beach. There would be no beach, and the bulkhead would be in fifteen or twenty feet of water. This could be no bathing beach, except for swimmers, and the bulkhead would be a menace to boats in a storm should they break loose from their moorings. However, the Bannings seem to have the upper hand, as objections are called for only on the ground of "obstruction to navigation."

CAPTURE FIVE NAKED BATHERS. Three women and two men arrested at Venice.

Haled into Court on Charges of Disturbing the Peace and Indecent Exposure—Two Married Couples Among Prisoners—Fifty Dollars Bail Deposited for Each.

VENICE, Oct. 2.—No wonder Louis Herzog is anxiously awaiting for the city trustees to name his successor as City Marshal. He finds the duties of the office too varied and trying a nature. At 3:30 o'clock this morning he was aroused from a sound sleep to assist Officer Cannon, who patrols the beach from darkness to dawn.

The beach patrolman had rounded up five nude bathers who, according to the testimony of the people in the neighborhood, had been making night raids on the beach. The five persons were arrested by Officer Cannon, charged with disturbing the peace and indecent exposure. They were given the choice of paying fifty dollars bail or going to the city jail.

POLICEMAN IN CLOTHESLINE. Mrs. L. Cashman, whose home is at No. 7 Thornton avenue, has not quite recovered from an early morning fright for a time contained some elements of mystery. Night had fallen over the beach; everything was still. Suddenly the shriek of a woman rent the air. There were hurrying footsteps on the board walk. Then several pistol shots rang in quick succession.

The police officer, who was on duty at the time, rushed to the scene and found a woman lying on the ground. She was badly injured and it was some time before she could be revived. She was taken to the hospital and is now recovering.

SEEK NATIONAL CONVENTION. People of Pomona Are Working to Secure Meeting of the German Baptist Brethren.

POMONA, Oct. 2.—Word has been received here that the Committee on location for the national convention of German Baptist Brethren, to be held somewhere in Southern California in May, will meet again in a week to consider the propositions offered by several cities. Pomona included, which are endeavoring to secure the convention.

The people of this city realize that the delegates who will attend the convention are a desirable class, thrifty and orderly, and that many of them may purchase property if favorably impressed. Accordingly, the Board of Trade is working in conjunction with the Pomona Chamber of Commerce to bring the meeting to this city.

The committee visited this locality last week the members were taken about the city in carriages by a committee from the Board of Trade and shown the advantages of this locality.

The plan here is to provide a city of tents at Ganesha Park, with a large assembly tent to accommodate thousands and to arrange with the Southern Pacific company to run a special train from Pomona every half-hour during the days of the convention.

Gray Hair Quickly Restored. By its natural color by using Alred's Egyptian Henna. Pure, harmless, 1st-class drugstore.

ADD S. P. TRAINS TO LONG BEACH.

PASADENA AND OCEAN LINKED IN NEW TRANSIT PLAN.

Officials Make Announcement of Improvements Whereby Four Runs Will Be Made Daily Between Crown City and the Seashore Municipality—Work on Churches.

LONG BEACH, Oct. 2.—Among the many announcements of importance coming with that of D. M. Linnard's acceptance of the management of the Hotel Hixby here in conjunction with the management of the Hotel Marland at Pasadena, comes one that the Southern Pacific will soon operate four through trains daily between the city and Pasadena.

The first announcement made was that a line of automobiles will be run between the two cities daily. Then it was said that the Pacific Electric will construct a short line between here and Pasadena for the accommodation of the general public as well as the patrons of the two hotels.

Now comes the Southern Pacific official word, which says that the company will operate four trains daily each way between the Crown of the Valley and the Seashore resort.

It is maintained by the railroad, which now operates but one train a day between the city and Los Angeles, that a through train service will appeal more strongly to the general traveling public than will the automobile, owing to the better accommodations and the transportation of baggage and the greater convenience attendant on such a long journey by railroad.

A present the Southern Pacific is engaged in extensive improvements to its property here. A freight depot has been completed and a crew of men are working on the passenger passenger depot and improving the large property owned by the railroad at Second and Pacific.

CLERK RENTS STRANGER. Last night, just as Clarence Boss, the right clerk, was sitting on the last customers and preparing to close up, a stranger in a partially intoxicated condition called on him for liquor. He was refused, but did not leave the store, and hung around until Boss had waited on the last customer and was preparing to close the store. Then the stranger again made his way into the store and demanded a drink of "booze" of some nature or other. Again he was refused and then he began to make his demands and abuse of Mr. Boss.

"You've got to give me a drink," he said, "or tonight I'll be here." "We'll see about that," snarled the stranger, and placing his hand on his hip pocket he made a dash toward the door. The clerk, who was only slightly tipsy, was plucky and reaching under the counter drew out a heavy club and with a single blow, there was a crash and the man out of the store. The stranger did not wait for a second invitation and made a dash for the door, through which he fled.

NEW CHURCH BUILDINGS. Excavations for two of the new church buildings proposed to be erected in this city have been commenced. At Sixth and Locust the excavation for the new home of the First Presbyterian congregation has reached a stage of completion where the concrete men are about to commence work on the foundation. The lot is being cleared under the supervision of C. W. Abbott, formerly building inspector of Long Beach. At Fifth and Pacific a similar excavation is being made for the new home of the First Methodist Church. No contracts for which have been let.

PERMIT FOR SHOPS. Today a building permit was issued to the Carse Machine Works for a shop to be erected at West Long Beach on the site of the former shop recently destroyed by fire. The Carse Machine Works was the leading manufacturing enterprise in West Long Beach, aside from the boat works and the lumber yards.

LONG BEACH NOTES. The task of collecting the city taxes has commenced. The result of the first day's work was not especially gratifying, but a number visited the City Hall and paid their money to Tax Collector George W. Young's deputy, Fred B. Kute.

Miss Leona Bill, a young woman residing at No. 19 Bonita avenue, was run down by an autoist giving his name as L. Beach, at First and American streets, this afternoon. She was carried into a drug store in an unconscious condition and is now recovering.

Charles Lee has returned from Dutch Flat, near Sacramento, where he was employed as a miner and was injured by local capitalists. He says that the quality of the asbestos exceeds any at present mined in this country.

City Clerk Desinger, of San Pedro, who is conducting the cases of the West Long Beach violators of the ordinances of this city, filed notice with Recorder Hart today that he will make motion for a change of venue.

Doran & Helms, prominent local real estate men, have suggested a tax on real estate for the best method of financing the band. They would make the tax an annual one of \$100, to go to the band fund and \$10 to the city. It is claimed that this \$25,000 could be raised each year, from among the men who receive the greatest amount of benefit from the band concerts.

Property owners along the bluff, declare that they are ready to meet all the expense of parking the same. They will appear before Council relative to the matter tomorrow evening.

The Board of Chosen Freeholders, who will frame Long Beach's special charter, will meet tonight to organize.

Work was commenced today on the Soft Water Laundry, the first plant to locate on the new inner harbor.

Miss Laura, -ing of 424 West Fourth street fell while riding her bicycle on the sidewalk this evening and dislocated her arm.

HUNTINGTON PARK SERVICES. HUNTINGTON PARK, Oct. 2.—The Friends dedicated their new church at Baker and Gifford avenues yesterday. The service was held at 8 o'clock, when daily day for the Sunday-school was observed, followed by roll call, a gratifying increase in members being reported. The afternoon Rev. Perry Whittier preached the dedication sermon. Rev. T. Armstrong, Whittier, assisted in the service. Miss Esther Smith, Long Beach, who will go as a missionary to Central America next month, preached in the evening. The new building cost about \$1500, all the work on it being donated by members and friends, and a debt of \$350 was wiped out at the services. Rev. Harry Hays is the pastor.

LABOR SAVING OFFICE APPLIANCES

How truthfully Mr. Dooley speaks in his article, "The Power of the Press," in the American Magazine. "Yes, sir," says he, "my hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world." He is of course referred to the Waterman Ideal fountain pen, for they have long since been recognized as the world's leaders. We have them in all sizes and different styles of color and tapering for short and stubby. Just the point that suits you. It could not be better if it was made to your special order. Use the fountain pen for every purpose. Your bookkeeping will be neater and cleaner.

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With the Tehachas—Neighboring Counties.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

PREVENTS CRUISER'S TRIAL.

WATER MAKES RUN TO TEST MACHINERY.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—The trial of the *Albatross* was prevented today by a heavy rain. The ship was in the harbor and the trial was to have been held at the Naval Academy. The rain was so heavy that the trial was postponed until tomorrow.

WHALES SCARE GIRLS IN SURF.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Oct. 8.—Seven whales of the variety known as the killer whales, appeared suddenly in the ocean here yesterday morning to the consternation of a crowd of young women bathers. The big fish were of an average of thirty feet in length, and had a lot of fun disporting as near shore as the inside buoy. They would probably have ventured ashore to see the pretty girls had they not apparently been frightened by the hues of the bathing suits. The fair ones wore, and which made a kaleidoscope of color as the young women scampered back to high ground. The whales were finally called off by the appearance of a couple of fat porpoises, which came rolling along. The killer is fond of fresh porpoise, and this group dashed off after a breakfast.

UNKNOWN MAN DIES IN FLAMES.

CORONA BUILDING DESTROYED AS INMATES MAKE ESCAPE.

Many Laborers Occupied Place and Search of Ruins Discovers Bones of Person—Structure Was Landmark of Locality and Was Erected on the Wrong Property.

San Francisco, Oct. 8.—A fire which completely destroyed the Corona building, a landmark of the city, today resulted in the discovery of the bones of a man. The building was a landmark of the city and was erected on the wrong property. The fire started at 6 o'clock last evening in the upper story of the old Judge B. D. Ritchie house, a frame building near First street owned by Mrs. J. V. Ritchie, who was away from home at the time. The flames had gained such headway before an alarm was turned in that the building could not be saved. The house was occupied by a number of men, who were working on the building. The fire started in the upper story of the old Judge B. D. Ritchie house, a frame building near First street owned by Mrs. J. V. Ritchie, who was away from home at the time. The flames had gained such headway before an alarm was turned in that the building could not be saved. The house was occupied by a number of men, who were working on the building.

DAUGHTERS SEEK TO BREAK WILL.

ESTATE WAS LEFT TO WIFE, A NEW YORK ACTRESS.

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VENTURA COUNTY COMPANY PLANS.

LIGHT AND POWER WIRES TO BE EXTENDED GREATLY.

Plans Completed for Many Large Improvements, Including Irrigation System, Building of Warehouse and Office Structure and the Giving of Facilities to Towns.

Oxnard, Oct. 8.—The new combine, the Ventura County Power Company, which controls the gas, water and electricity of the county, is showing activity in many ways. The corporation is about to build a transmission line to Castaic, at which point it will tap the Kern River line of the Edison company, and from there distribute electricity for light and power throughout the entire county. This will give most of the towns something new as it will give all a twenty-four hour light and power service.

RESCUED NEWS ITEMS.

ESCONDIDO, Oct. 8.—The marriage of Robert Lovelace and Mrs. Henrietta Boosey took place here several days ago. The Rev. G. F. Mathes of the Congregational church performed the ceremony. Mr. Lovelace is manager of the Escondido Packing House, and has been a resident of the valley for years. The happy couple are spending their honeymoon at San Diego.

ANAHEIM NEWS BULLETINS.

ANAHEIM, Oct. 8.—The Barry Berry company is erecting a large forty-horse-power pumping plant on the eighty-acre tract recently purchased three miles northeast of Anaheim. About fifty acres will be set to strawberries and the remainder of the tract to other berries and small fruits, making it one of the largest berry plantations in Southern California. The company has incorporated for \$50,000 and will spend \$25,000 on the property. Fred Heying has refused an offer of \$500 for a lot near the First National Bank. Three years ago the lot sold for \$1200.

DENTISTS MEET IN CONVENTION.

NINTH ANNUAL SESSION HELD IN SANTA BARBARA.

President Moody of Los Angeles Wins Applause by Address in Which He Points Out the Proper Business Methods of the Profession—Favors Return of Dr. Miller.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SANTA BARBARA, Oct. 8.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The ninth annual session of the Southern California Dental Association met this morning at the Potter Hotel. There were fifty representatives present. Dr. J. D. Moody of Los Angeles, president of the association, called the convention to order. Dr. C. V. Doolittle of Pomona was elected secretary.

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4.00 Arabian Curtains \$2.48 Pair

7.50 Swiss Point Curtains \$4.98

35c Silk Bonnets 25c

Women's \$20 Suits \$14.98

Women's \$15 Suits \$10

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Men's negligee shirts, made of woven and printed madras materials; they are good fitting and well made, with separate cuffs; light and dark shades; all sizes; regular 50c value.

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Women's fancy collars made of best mercerized wash materials and come in local, but have effect of excellent styles and colors. 25c value.

15c Draperies 9c

Fancy will draperies in swell oriental and floral designs; regular 15c quality.

65c Negligee Shirts 49c

Men's white cord madras negligee shirts with neat black stripes and figures and woven oxford in medium colors and stripes and checks; all well made and perfect fitting shirts. Worth 65c each.

10 PORTIERES PAIR \$7.48

Handsome mercerized tapestry portieres 50 inches wide and 3 yards long; rich floral designs in dark red, green, olive, hunter's green and cardinal; heavy latice fringed ends.

4.00 Arabian Curtains \$2.48 Pair

Handsome new corded Arabian lace curtains; plain centers with richly corded border designs; 50 inches wide and 3 1/2 yards long; worth \$4.00 pair.

7.50 Swiss Point Curtains \$4.98

Fine white Swiss Point Bobbinet curtains, with swell applique border designs; excellent parlor curtains worth \$7.50 a pair.

35c Silk Bonnets 25c

Infants' new silk bonnets trimmed with rich ruching; a new style; some tucked and embroidered with silk ties; good 35c value.

Women's \$20 Suits \$14.98

Handsome styled suits in Prince Chap, semi-fitting jackets; satin lined jackets trimmed with diamond braids and front and back strapped and stitched; fancy collar and cuffs; skirts cut gored and plaited and trimmed with braids to match jackets; materials are of the choicest and Venetian cloth, in plaids and chevrons; splendid value at \$20.00. Choice today at \$14.98.

Women's \$15 Suits \$10

Jacket styles in pony, Prince Chap and Eton; come in shadow plaids and fancy mixtures; jackets satin lined and trimmed with braids and fancy buttons; skirts gored and plaited and trimmed with folds and strapping. Good \$15.00 value for \$10.00.

\$2 Lawn Waists \$1.48

Extra good quality white lawn waists; some trimmed with embroidery and Val. laces and others trimmed with clusters of tucks; regular \$2 values, today at \$1.48.

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reached the inside of the house, Baird and Van Kirk emptied their guns in a continuous volley in the direction of the back, from which the shots seemed to come.

Though faint and bleeding from his wound, "Big Bill" Polene fired two shots through the window at the murderous cholo and then went inside to assist in the capture. Lara's gun became still and the officers lighted a lantern to investigate the result of the shooting. Two of the bullets had taken effect in Lara's body, one in the hip and the other in the back, and death was almost instantaneous.

The Marion Joseph, arrived in Port this morning, 152 days out from New Castle. She met with numerous icebergs off Cape Horn and was driven out of her course by freezing gales for a number of days, having several narrow escapes. The Glenlivet of Glasgow, which arrived yesterday had a similar experience and lost most of her sails in a gale about 200 miles south of this port.

German Day was observed by 30 enthusiastic members of the local German Alliance with feasting, speeches and music last night. Chairman Louis Fritz, Mr. L. I. Irwin and Otto Schroder were among the speakers. A grand ball and musical festival is to open the new Turner Hall, almost completed, at Ninth and G streets on October 21.

POLICE KILL MAN IN NIGHT SIEGE.

MANY SHOTS FIRED IN DUEL WITH RIVERSIDE MEXICANS.

Officer Receives Bullet in Breast During Volley of Firing From Intrenched Cholo—Wounded Patrolman Continues Shooting, Though Faint and Bleeding.

RIVERSIDE, Oct. 8.—Officer Polene is suffering from a bullet wound in the breast, one Mexican is dead and another is in jail as the result of a shooting scrape that gave several officers of the city police force a close call for their lives early this morning.

The trouble started in the Japanese poolroom on Fourteenth street about 9 o'clock Sunday night. Gundulapo Lara and Frederico Barrera had a difference of opinion and Lara chose to settle it by shooting the man who had the temerity to cross him. He succeeded in firing five shots at Barrera and making his escape before officers Barrett and Van Kirk appeared and took Barrera under their protection.

Surmising that Lara would go home, the two officers went to his shack on East Eleventh street to keep watch for him. Toward midnight he went into his house with a companion, Cepurano Garcia. The officers made a move to place them under arrest when the Mexicans turned and began firing at them. As the Mexicans were shooting at the officers, the officers began to escape. Lara started in after the men. The house was dark, and when they got no answer from inside they forced an entrance by kicking in the door. Lara and Van Kirk started in after the men. The house was dark, and when they got no answer from inside they forced an entrance by kicking in the door. Lara and Van Kirk started in after the men.

SAN DIEGO NEWS NOTES.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 8.—A large number of Los Angeles, members of the Chamber of Commerce excursion, remained over Sunday, and visited points of interest. La Jolla, across the Mexican border; La Jolla, the pa-

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San Francisco	72	52	62
San Diego	75	55	65
Albany, N. Y.	65	45	55
Chicago	60	40	50
St. Louis	62	42	52
Philadelphia	65	45	55
New York	68	48	58
London	60	40	50
Paris	62	42	52
Bombay	85	65	75
Calcutta	88	68	78
Shanghai	80	60	70
Hankow	78	58	68
Peking	75	55	65
Harbin	65	45	55
Yokohama	72	52	62
Kobe	70	50	60
Manila	82	62	72
Cebu	80	60	70
Batavia	85	65	75
Sourabaya	82	62	72
Singapore	85	65	75
London	60	40	50
Paris	62	42	52
Bombay	85	65	75
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Hankow	78	58	68
Peking	75	55	65
Harbin	65	45	55
Yokohama	72	52	62
Kobe	70	50	60
Manila	82	62	72
Cebu	80	60	70
Batavia	85	65	75
Sourabaya	82	62	72
Singapore	85	65	75

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METAL MARKET.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Bar silver 68 5/8.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Copper very strong; lake 21.00 to 22.00; electrolytic, 20.00 to 21.00; casting, 20.00 to 21.00.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Lead ranged from 5.85 to 5.90.

ZINC.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Zinc ranged from 15.85 to 15.90.

TIN.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Tin ranged from 110.00 to 111.00.

NICKEL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Nickel ranged from 100.00 to 101.00.

MANGANESE.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Manganese ranged from 15.00 to 16.00.

IRON.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Iron ranged from 15.00 to 16.00.

STEEL.

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ALUMINUM.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Aluminum ranged from 15.00 to 16.00.

SODIUM.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Sodium ranged from 15.00 to 16.00.

POTASSIUM.

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LEAD.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1—Lead ranged from 5.85 to 5.90.

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SALAD: Bologna, per lb., 6; Bologna, paraffined, per lb., 6½; blood sausage, 3; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage links and links, 7; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 6; fresh pork sausage, 6; Wiener sausage, 7; Frankfurk sausage, 7; New-England ham sausage, 12; boiled cottage ham, 12; boiled boneless Rex ham, 23½; boiled boneless Rex ham, smoked, 22½; minced sausage in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage in sacks, 12.	Spiced Locals Iron dard 55a, 30
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